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MEDIA ADVISORY/RELEASE: Schinnen Kicks off Motorcycle Safety Campaign

SCHINNEN, Netherlands – U.S. Army Garrison Schinnen motorcycle riders are being trained to “drive to arrive” during the 2006 USAG Schinnen Motorcycle Safety Campaign which will run through the motorcycle riding season of March to October 2006.

The USAG Schinnen Motorcycle Safety Campaign is being sponsored by the USAG Schinnen Installation Safety Office and addresses efforts being taken to reduce the occurrence of motorcycle accidents and increase safety awareness of motorcycle hazards in the USAG Schinnen area of operation. The campaign is in support of the U.S. Army in Europe Motorcycle Safety Campaign.

As part of the safety campaign USAG Schinnen will be offering monthly Motorcycle Safety Foundation Courses for beginning and experienced riders. The training is open to all military personnel and DOD civilian employees free of charge. USAG Schinnen will conduct random spot checks of motorcyclist for valid licenses and riding gear. The campaign will also consist of highly visible motorcycle safety tips and messages via newspaper and electronic distribution. USAG Schinnen will also host a garrison-wide safety day consisting of classes, demonstrations and programs on motorcycle safety.

For more information please contact the USAG Schinnen Installation Safety Office at DSN 360-7270 or Civilian 031-(0) 46-443-7270.